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Response to Amendment

1. The reply filed on 8-22-06 is not fully responsive to the prior Office action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s): The amendments to the specification still do not comply with 37 CFR 1.121 because they still do not make the changes to pages 4, 8, 15 and 16 by replacing the entire paragraph involved, e.g. the entire paragraph containing page 4, line 15 with the changes desired should be shown. It is presumed that the instruction "Replace with" with regard to the paragraph discussed for page 2, line 4 is meant to be --Add new paragraph at page 2, after line 12. The amendments to the claims also do not comply with 37 CFR 1.121 because claim 1 is not the same as previously amended, i.e. original claim 1 should have been represented with all the changes except for the underlining of the period. Also, while claims 12 and 17 included the parenthetical "(Previously presented)", they show markings, i.e. no markings should be shown with that parenthetical. See 37 CFR 1.111. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be *bona fide*, applicant is given a TIME PERIOD of **ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS** from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. Since this application has been granted special status under the accelerated examination program, **NO** extensions of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) will be permitted.

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2. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Karin M. Reichle whose telephone number is (571) 272-4936.

The examiner can normally be reached on Monday-Thursday.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Tanya Zalukaeva can be reached on (571) 272-1115. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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